

Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 /026 W
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P R 111656Z APR 78
FM AMEMBASSY LONDON
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4993
INFO USMISSION USUN NEW YORK PRIORITY
AMEMBASSY AMMAN
AMEMBASSY BEIRUT
AMEMBASSY CAIRO
AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS
AMCONSUL JERUSALEM
AMEMBASSY OTTAWA
AMEMBASSY PARIS
AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

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EXDIS

E.O. 11652: XGDS-1
TAGS: PORG, MARR, UNSC, IS, LE, XF, UK
SUBJECT: BRITISH ROLE IN UNIFIL

REF: A) LONDON 5451; (B) STATE 90597

WE CONVEYED DEPT'S POSITION TO FCO ASSISTANT UNDER
SECRETARY WEIR APRIL 11. LATTER NOTED OUR POSITION
BUT INDICATED ISSUE IS CLOSED FOR THE NEAR FUTURE.
WEIR SAID HIS PRIME MINISTER HAD FIRMLY REJECTED
PROPOSAL FOR UK PARTICIPATION ON SUCH AN "OPEN-ENDED"
BASIS. AFTER REVIEWING WITH HIS OWN SUBORDINATES
HOW ISSUE HAD BEEN HANDLED, WEIR NOW CONCLUDES THAT
IT WAS NOT RPT NOT REPORTING FROM BRITISH EMBASSY
IN BEIRUT WHICH TIPPED THE SCALE AGAINST BRITISH
PARTICIPATION. CENTO MINISTERIAL CONFERENCE IN LONDON
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ON APRIL 19 WILL PROVIDE ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR USG TO
RAISE THIS ISSUE WITH HMG.

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